

Childrens Department.

NORTH GEORGETOWN, OHIO, May 12, '94.

DEAR EDITOR:—I will answer a few questions. Mable Winn, St. Andrew was crucified in the same manner of Jesus. Grace Overcash, Amram and Jochebed were Mose's parents. I will answer the Editor's question. We should get our light from God. Will some one tell me Pharaoh's wife's name?

Yours truly,

MAUD WHITELEATHER.

MT. BLANCHARD, O., May 13th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I go to the German Baptist Sunday school. We have one old cat, and one-hundred little chickens. I am very sorry to hear of Homer's death. What is the shortest verse in the Bible? I will answer Mable C. Whinn's question. Peter was crucified after the manner of Jesus.

CARRIE HAUMAN.

Peter was crucified but not like Jesus. He thought he was not worthy to die like his master so he asked that his head might be downward.

NAPPANEE, IND., May 16th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I have been writing Bible stories but thought I would change and write something about our meeting at Union Salem. We held a series of meetings and had six converts. Three were baptized and three confirmed. Bro. Sala baptized them. At the close of the meeting we had communion. Sister Dickey and Brother Sala conducted it. All the members were present except two. Good bye for this time.

Your friend,

CORA A. BECKWETH.

A letter full of good news. Write again.

CENTERVILLE, IOWA, May 25th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—Rev. Enslow preached at a school house near our place. His subject was, "There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus." Romans vii, 1. I will answer Clyde A. Moss' question, Joseph was ruler over Egypt eighty years. How old was Adam when he died?

Yours truly,

CLYDE STICKLER.

Clyde, what man in the Bible said: "They save wages to put it into a bag with holes. And what do you suppose he meant by it?"

JENNINGS, LA., May 26th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I will tell the readers of the children's page a true story about snakes in Louisiana. As we went to the German Baptist Love feast we crossed a small muddy stream, called the Gronde Marias. During the dry weather the snakes gather on the banks and small islands to sun themselves. Most of these are called the water moccasins. These snakes resemble the rattlers in color; but they do not coil in a spring. They have no rattles but their bite is very poisonous.

ORA GRUBB.

NORCATUR, KANSAS, May 26th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—We will have children's day on the third Sunday in June at Mt. Zion. Brother L. A. Hazlett of Indiana, is here preaching for us. He is holding a protracted meeting at Maple Grove church.

No joiners yet. James is one of Christ's brothers in the flesh and according to Rev. i, 9, St. John the Divine is one.

Your friend,

MAY HOLBEN.

You did not get your answer quite correct. Look in Matthew xiii, 55 and you will see how many and the names of Christ's brothers.

SHERWOOD, O., May 27th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—I was at memorial services to-day. The text was 2nd Timothy ii, 3. Tomorrow is my birthday and I will be ten years old. Yesterday was papa's birthday. He was forty-one years old.

We are going to have an entertainment on the evening of decoration day. There are forty-four little girls have pieces to speak representing the different states. I am to represent Idaho. We expect a nice time. How many plagues did the Lord send to the Egyptians and what were they?

Yours truly,

CLARA SHOE.

PLEASANT GROVE, VA., May 28th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—My mama is away now visiting. She will be back in two or three weeks. Since I have been writing we have had a very hard hail storm. I went to Sabbath school yesterday. My lesson was about Stephen stoned to death.

Your friend,

MABEL C. WINN.

What man was present when Stephen was stoned that afterward became a Christian?

STOCKPORT, IND., May 15th, 1894.

MR. EDITOR AND DEAR CHILDREN: I feel so sad over the death of little Homer. Although I did not know him, I felt interested in his welfare, hoping he might be spared to stay with his good parents who loved him so well. But let us take courage and be faithful. He cannot come to us but we can go to him. Well children, I hope you are enjoying these pleasant summer days since your winter school is out. I am attending a term of Normal school at Eaton, Ind. It is very warm in the school room, but we must make many sacrifices if we want to obtain an education.

Your friend,

IVY RENCH.

Your letter is thoughtful, Ivy. It is a pleasant thought that we can some day see Homer and all other good people. What a meeting that will be. Life is made up of sacrifices.

NEEDMORE, PA., May 14th, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR: It is raining today so I will try to write another letter for the children's column. We organized a Sunday school three weeks ago. I have about five miles to go. I will miss a Sunday because I want to attend preaching in Mips Cove. My Sunday school teacher's name is Mr. Bard; I like him for a teacher. I am sorry to hear of Homer's death.

Yours truly,

CARL MALLOTT.

Carl, in your next tell us how many wounds Christ received while on the cross and where they were.

SHENDUN, VA., May 17, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR: We had a fine rain yesterday. You asked me a question some time ago about a king when he was seven years old. He was the King Samuel. I want you to answer this letter to see if I am correct. I am going to see how far I can read in the Testament. I hope to hear from other little girls and boys.

Good Bye,

VIRGE GARLAND.

Samuel was not a king. He was a prophet. Joash was king when he was seven years old, 2 Chron. xxiv, 1, and Josiah was king when he was eight years old. 2 Kings xxii, 1. Whose birthday was celebrated by dancing.

NORTH GEORGETOWN, O., April 22, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—It has been raining nearly all day, but we went to Sunday school. We have an organ in our church. Sister Myrtle Summers is our organist. Easter means to us that Christ arose that we might have everlasting life if we obey his will.

Good bye,

LIZZIE C. CONNELL.

Your answer is very good. We ought to obey his will when he have the promise of so great a reward.

WOODLAND, MICH., April 26, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—We have prayer meeting every Saturday night, and meeting every four weeks at our School house. I had to miss school last Friday because I was sick. What are the names of Zebedees two son's?

Yours truly,

ADA CLUM.

Ada in your next tell us how long Christ was on earth after his resurrection.

TWELVE MILE, IND., May 23, '94.

DEAR EDITOR:—Brother Swihart delivered two very able sermons last Sunday. He took for his morning subject, the omnipresence of God, in the evening he spoke of the second coming of Christ. Moses was the son of Amram. He lived in the time of Pharaoh. The king made a law that all boy babies should be killed. Moses was very pretty so the king's daughter adopted him. When he was Eighty years old God spoke to him out of a burning bush. He told him to go down into Egypt and bring his people out of slavery.

CLYDE A. MOSS.

LIMESTONE HILL, W. VA., May 24, 1894.

DEAR EDITOR:—It was so rainy and muddy that I could not go to Sunday school last Sunday. I will answer R. W. Grabil's question. The longest verse in the Bible is Ester eighth chap and ninth verse. I will also answer Dessa Sayger's question. The word "and" occurs in the Bible 46,227 times. How many times is the word Jehovah found in the Bible.

Yours truly,

VIOLA M. BOORD,

Sullivan, Ohio, May 26, '94.

Dear Editor:—To-morrow is Sunday school. I expect to go if it does not rain too hard. Our communion was the 12th of May. There was a large crowd. I am sorry to hear of H mer's death. We have one of his pictures. I will be thirteen years old the 14th of June. We are going to have a picnic the last day of school.

Yours truly,

Myrtle S. Hart.